

The Hot List (Upcoming Books)

These popular authors are publishing new books in the next few months. They might not be in bookstores or libraries yet, but if they are in our catalog, you can still put them on hold and be near the top of the list!



March

- Albert, Susan Wittig – *Cat’s Claw*
 - Bell, Ted – *Phantom*
 - Bowen, Rhys – *Hush Now, Don’t You Cry*
 - Box, C.J. – *Force of Nature*
 - Brockmann, Suzanne – *Born to Darkness*
 - Coben, Harlan – *Stay Close*
 - Coughlin, Jack – *Running the Maze*
 - Cussler, Clive – *The Thief*
 - Fluke, Joanne – *Cinnamon Roll Murder*
 - Graham, Heather – *Unseen*
 - Green, Jane – *Another Piece of My Heart*
- Jackson, Lisa – *Afraid to Die*
 - Kingsbury, Karen – *Loving*
 - Oates, Joyce Carol – *Mudwoman*
 - Patterson, James – *Guilty Wives*
 - Patterson, Richard North – *Fall from Grace*
 - Perry, Thomas – *Poison Flower*
 - Rollins, James – *Deep Fathom*
 - Rose, M.J. – *Book of Lost Fragrances*
 - Steel, Danielle – *Betrayal*
 - White, Kate – *So Pretty It Hurts*
 - Winspear, Jacqueline – *Elegy for Eddie*

April

- Archer, Jeffrey – *Sins of the Father*
 - Atherton, Nancy – *Aunt Dimity and the Village Witch*
 - Baldacci, David – *Innocent*
 - Brown, Rita Mae – *Big Cat Nap*
 - Clark, Carol Higgins – *Gypped*
 - Clark, Mary Higgins – *Lost Years*
 - Dickey, Eric Jerome – *Accidental Affair*
 - Franzen, Jonathan – *Farther Away* (nonfic)
 - Grisham, John – *Calico Joe*
 - Hart, Carolyn – *Death Comes Silently*
 - Johansen, Iris – *What Doesn’t Kill You*
 - King, Stephen – *Wind through the Keyhole*
 - Maberry, Jonathan – *Assassin’s Code*
 - Margolin, Phillip – *Capitol Murder*
- McCall Smith, Alexander – *Limpopo Academy of Private Detection*
 - Michaels, Fern – *Breaking News*
 - Perry, Anne – *Dorchester Terrace*
 - Quick, Amanda – *Crystal Gardens*
 - Roberts, Nora – *The Witness*
 - Ross, Ann – *Miss Julia to the Rescue*
 - Scottoline, Lisa – *Come Home*
 - Sheldon, Sidney – *Sidney Sheldon’s Angel of the Dark*
 - Trigiani, Adriana – *Shoemaker’s Wife*
 - Tyler, Anne – *Beginner’s Goodbye*
 - Vincenzi, Penny – *More Than You Know*
 - Wambaugh, Joseph – *Harbor Nocturne*
 - Woods, Stuart – *Unnatural Acts*

May

- Atkins, Ace – *Robert B. Parker’s Lullaby*
 - Balogh, Mary – *The Proposal*
 - Bass, Jefferson – *Inquisitor’s Key*
 - Berry, Steve – *Columbus Affair*
 - Coonts, Stephen – *Sea Witch*
 - Evans, Richard Paul – *Road to Grace*
- Harris, Charlaïne – *Deadlocked*
 - Page, Katherine Hall – *Body in the Boudoir*
 - Patterson, James – *The 11th Hour*
 - Roberts, Nora – *The Last Boyfriend*
 - Sandford, John – *Stolen Prey*

Check It Out!

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New Bedford Free Public Library
New Bedford, Massachusetts

March 2012

From the Top Shelf

A message from Stephen Fulchino, Library Director

The Library and the Art Museum

The Library and the New Bedford Art Museum have begun a partnership – the first fruits of which you should see this month. The Museum has set aside one of its galleries for the presentation of art works from the Library.

The Museum is undergoing renovations, and will reopen on Friday, March 23. The first show in our gallery will be “Highlights from the Art Collection of the New Bedford Free Public Library.”

Among the items in the exhibit will be paintings by Clifford Ashley, William Bradford, Charles H. Gifford, and Robert Swain Gifford and the *Great Blue Heron* from the set of Audubon prints.

None of this would be possible without the hard work of Janice Hodson, the Art Curator at the Library and the support of the Trustees, the City Council, and the Mayor.

- Museum Passes:** The Library offers free and discounted museum passes. All libraries have free passes to the Buttonwood Zoo. The Main Library also has discounted passes to:
- New Bedford Whaling Museum
 - Ocean Explorium
 - Boston Children’s Museum
 - Museum of Fine Arts
 - Museum of Science
 - JFK Library and Museum
 - New England Aquarium

Call any library or you can reserve your passes through our Web site!

Hours & Locations

Main Library 613 Pleasant St. 508-991-6275 TTY: 508-991-6258	
Monday - Thursday	9am – 9pm
Friday:	9am – 5pm
Saturday:	9am – 5pm
Genealogy Department 3 rd floor of Main Library 508-991-6276	
Monday - Thursday	9am – 9pm
Friday:	9am – 5pm
Saturday:	9am – 12pm; 1pm – 5pm
Art Room 3 rd floor of Main Library 508-979-1787	
Monday:	closed
Tuesday:	1pm – 5pm
Wednesday:	1pm – 5pm
Thursday:	1pm – 5pm; 6pm – 9pm
Friday:	9am – 5pm
Saturday:	9am – 1pm; 2pm – 5pm
Casa da Saudade 58 Crapo St. 508-991-6218	Wilks 1911 Acushnet Ave. 508-991-6214
Monday:	10am – 6pm
Tuesday:	12pm – 8pm
Wednesday:	10am – 6pm
Thursday:	12pm – 8pm
Friday:	closed
Saturday:	9am – 5pm
Lawler 745 Rockdale Ave. 508-991-6216	Howland-Green 3 Rodney French Blvd. 508-991-6212
Monday:	10am – 6pm
Tuesday:	12pm – 8pm
Wednesday:	closed
Thursday:	12pm – 8pm
Friday:	10am – 6pm
Saturday:	9am – 5pm
Bookmobile For the Bookmobile schedule, please call Wilks.	

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MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			<div>1</div> <div>➤ Dr. Seuss Birthday Event – Lawler @3:30pm</div> <div>➤ Dr. Seuss Birthday Event – Howland-Green @3:30pm</div> <div>➤ Writers’ Group – Wilks @6pm</div>	<div>2</div> <div>➤ In the Loop Knitting Group – Lawler @2pm</div> <div>➤ Lecture: Harriet Tubman and the Underground Railroad – Main @7pm</div>	<div>3</div> <div>➤ Dr. Seuss Birthday Event – Main @11am</div> <div>➤ Teen Advisory Group – Lawler @11:30am</div> <div>➤ Movie: <i>Horton Hears a Who</i> – Lawler @2pm</div>
<div>5</div>	<div>6</div> <div>➤ Scrabble Scramble – Lawler @1pm</div>	<div>7</div> <div>➤ Movie: <i>Cat in the Hat</i> – Main @6pm</div>	<div>8</div> <div>➤ Movie: <i>A Place in the Sun</i> – Lawler @2pm</div> <div>➤ Tail Waggin’ Tutors – Lawler @4:30 – 5:30 (call to sign up)</div>	<div>9</div>	<div>10</div> <div>➤ Movie: <i>Kung Fu Panda 2</i> – Howland-Green @2:30pm</div> <div>➤ Teen Video Workshop – Lawler @1pm</div>
<div>12</div>	<div>13</div> <div>➤ Book Club: <i>Dancing in the Rain</i> by Peggy Fellouris – Lawler @2pm</div> <div>➤ PJ Story Hour – Lawler @6pm</div> <div>➤ Portuguese Story Hour – Casa @6pm</div>	<div>14</div>	<div>15</div> <div>➤ Scrabble Scramble – Lawler @1pm</div> <div>➤ Tail Waggin’ Tutors – Lawler @4:30 – 5:30 (call to sign up)</div> <div>➤ PJ Story Hour – Main @6pm</div>	<div>16</div> <div>➤ In the Loop Knitting Group – Lawler @2pm</div>	<div>17</div> <div>➤ Movie: <i>Kung Fu Panda 2</i> – Lawler @2pm</div>
<div>19</div>	<div>20</div> <div>➤ Tail Waggin’ Tutors – Wilks @4:30 –5:10pm (call to sign up)</div> <div>➤ Book club: <i>Kabul Beauty School</i> by Deborah Rodriguez – Wilks @6pm</div> <div>➤ PJ Story Hour – Howland-Green @6pm</div>	<div>21</div> <div>➤ Movie: <i>Dolphin Tale</i>– Main @6pm</div>	<div>22</div> <div>➤ Movie: <i>Sorry, Wrong Number</i> – Lawler @2pm</div> <div>➤ Tail Waggin’ Tutors – Lawler @4:30 – 5:30 (call to sign up)</div> <div>➤ PJ Story Hour – Casa @6pm</div>	<div>23</div> <div>➤ Scrabble Scramble – Lawler @1pm</div>	<div>24</div> <div>➤ Fancy Nancy Tea Party – Main @11am</div> <div>➤ Movie: <i>Puss in Boots</i> – Wilks @12pm</div> <div>➤ Teen Anime Club – Lawler @1pm</div> <div>➤ Movie: <i>Cars 2</i> – Howland-Green @2:30pm</div>
<div>26</div>	<div>27</div> <div>➤ Scrabble Scramble – Lawler @1pm</div> <div>➤ Tail Waggin’ Tutors – Wilks @4:30 –5:10pm (call to sign up)</div> <div>➤ PJ Story Hour – Wilks @6pm</div>	<div>28</div>	<div>29</div> <div>➤ Tail Waggin’ Tutors – Lawler @4:30 – 5:30 (call to sign up)</div>	<div>30</div> <div>➤ In the Loop Knitting Group – Lawler @2pm</div>	<div>31</div> <div>➤ Movie: <i>Treasure Buddies</i> – Wilks @12pm</div> <div>➤ Teen Knitting Group – Lawler @1pm</div>

Ongoing:

Story Hours – Winter: through March 10
Spring: March 26 – June 2

Wednesdays @10:30am – Wilks
Thursdays @3:30pm – Howland-Green
Fridays @11am – Lawler
Saturdays @11am – Main